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application of: Belotserkovskii et al.

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Application mailed July 5, 2000 for the above-referenced application, Applicants submit the Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application executed by the inventors; Power of Attorney By Assignee; copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts; and an authorization (below) for the following fees:

	<u>NO. FILED</u>	<u>NO. EXTRA</u>	<u>RATE</u>	<u>Fee</u>
Basic Fee				\$ 690
Total Claims	<u>118 -20 =</u>	<u>98</u>	x 18 =	\$ 1,764
Indep. Claims	<u>14-3 =</u>	<u>11</u>	x 78 =	\$ 858
Multiple Dependent Claim(s)				\$ 260
Late Surcharge				\$ <u>130</u>
TOTAL				\$ <u>3,702</u>

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$3,702 to account No. 06-1300 (Order No. A-67933-1/RFT/RMS/BCT) in payment of the outstanding filing fees and late surcharge for completing the above-referenced application. It is believed that no other fees are due at this time. If the Commissioner determines otherwise, he authorized to charge any additional fees, including any extension fees, which may be required to account No. 06-1300 (Order No. A-67933-1/RFT/RMS/BCT). A copy of this sheet is enclosed herewith for accounting purposes.

It is believed that submission of the above serves to fully comply with the requirements of the outstanding Notice to File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$2882.
 - \$1764 for 98 total claims over 20.
 - \$858 for 11 independent claims over 3 .
 - \$260 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 3702.**

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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